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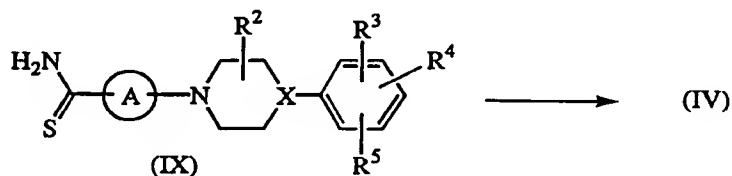
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12. A process of preparing a compound of formula (IV) as claimed in claim 10, wherein

- a) an intermediate of formula (IX) is treated with *N,N*-dimethylacetamide dimethyl acetal in a reaction-inert solvent, thereby yielding a compound of formula (IV);



- b) or, compounds of formula (IV) are converted into each other following art-known transformation reactions; or if desired; a compound of formula (IV) is converted into an acid addition salt, or conversely, an acid addition salt of a compound of formula (IV) is converted into a free base form with alkali; and, if desired, preparing stereochemically isomeric forms thereof.